

# Calculus Warm Up #4-2

Same problem as yesterday...

The radius of a sphere is increasing at a constant rate of 0.04 cm/sec.

At the time when the volume is  $36\pi \text{ cm}^3$  what is the rate of increase of the area of a cross section through the center of the sphere?

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$$15) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} \sin \frac{\pi}{2}(2n-1)$$

$$\begin{array}{cccc} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 & a_4 \\ \frac{\sin \frac{\pi}{2}}{1} & \frac{\sin \frac{3\pi}{2}}{2} & \frac{\sin \frac{5\pi}{2}}{3} & \frac{\sin \frac{7\pi}{2}}{4} \\ \frac{1}{1} & - \frac{1}{2} & + \frac{1}{3} & - \frac{1}{4} \end{array}$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n+1} \left( \frac{1}{n} \right) \quad \frac{1}{n+1} \leq \frac{1}{n} \checkmark$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} = 0 \checkmark$$

Series converges by the Alt. Series Test

$$19) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sqrt{n}}{n+2} = \frac{\infty}{\infty}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{n+1}}{n+3} \leq \frac{\sqrt{n}}{n+2} \quad \checkmark$$

## 10.5 Alternating Series

The Alternating Series Test for Convergence

The Alternating Series Remainder

Absolute Convergence

Conditional Convergence

## Estimating the sum of a Converging Alternating Series:

When  $a_{n+1} \leq a_n$ , using the partial sum,  $S_N$   
to estimate  $S = \sum a_n$

The accuracy of the estimate:

$$|S - S_N| = |R_N| \leq a_{N+1}$$

$N$  = Term # of the last term in the series  
included in the partial sum

$R_N$  = Remainder of the Series (sum of the  
remaining terms)

Does the series converge? If so,  
approximate the sum using the first 6 terms.  
How accurate is your result?

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n-1} \left( \frac{1}{n!} \right)$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n!} = 0 \checkmark$$

$$= \frac{1}{1} - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{6} - \frac{1}{24} + \frac{1}{120} - \frac{1}{720} + \dots$$

$$\frac{1}{(n+1)!} \leq \frac{1}{n!} \checkmark$$

Series converges by the  
Alternating Series Test.

Approximate the sum using the first 6 terms.  
How accurate is your result?

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n-1} \left( \frac{1}{n!} \right) \quad \text{Since} \quad \frac{1}{(n+1)!} \leq \frac{1}{n!}$$

$$S \approx S_6 = \frac{1}{1} - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{6} - \frac{1}{24} + \frac{1}{120} - \frac{1}{720}$$

$$S_6 = \frac{91}{144} \approx 0.6319$$

How accurate is your result?

The accuracy of the estimate:

$$|S - S_N| = |R_N| \leq a_{N+1}$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n-1} \left( \frac{1}{n!} \right)$$

$$S \approx S_6 = \frac{91}{144} \approx 0.6319$$

Alternating Series Remainder:

$$|R_6| \leq a_{6+1} \quad a_7 = \frac{1}{7!} = \frac{1}{5040}$$

$$|R_6| \leq \approx 0.0002 \quad \approx 0.0002$$

$\therefore$  The actual Sum,  $S$ , is  $\approx$

$$0.6319 - |R_6| \leq S \leq 0.6319 + |R_6|$$

$$0.6317 \leq S \leq 0.6321$$

Sometimes a series has positive and negative terms, but does not alternate. New tools...

## Absolute vs Conditional Convergence

### Absolute Convergence:

If  $\sum |a_n|$  converges, then  $\sum a_n$  also converges.

\* The converse of this statement is NOT true.

If  $\sum a_n$  converges, it **does not** follow that

$\sum |a_n|$  also converges.

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Ex:  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{n}$  ← Alternating harmonic series  
Converges by the Alternating Series Test

But  $|a_n| = \frac{1}{n}$

$\sum \frac{1}{n}$  ← Harmonic Series Diverges ( $p=1$ )

This is called Conditional Convergence

## Absolute vs Conditional Convergence

### Absolute Convergence:

If  $\sum |a_n|$  converges, then  $\sum a_n$  also converges.

### Conditional Convergence:

$\sum a_n$  is conditionally convergent if,  
 $\sum a_n$  converges, but  $\sum |a_n|$  diverges.

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over 2-days. 😊

Group quiz Friday over 10.1 - 10.4